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*November 15, 2004*

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Patent Application Of:	:	
Hisaaki Gyoten et al.	:	
Conf. No.:	5187	Group Art Unit: 1745
Appln. No.:	10/069,900	Examiner: Raymond Alejandro
Filing Date:	February 26, 2002	Attorney Docket No.: 10059-410US (P23466-01)
Title:	POLYMER ELECTROLYTIC FUEL CELL	

**AFTER FINAL REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114**

This is a request under 37 CFR 1.114 for continued examination (RCE) of the above identified application in response to the Office Action mailed May 14, 2004 (Paper No. 20040510). Enclosed are the following in support of the RCE under 37 C.F.R. 1.114:

- ☐ Enter the unentered Amendment previously filed on &@ under 37 CFR 1.116 in the above application.
- ☒ An Amendment/Request for Reconsideration.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A and cited references.
- ☐ New formal drawings.
- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time to November 15, 2004 (November 14, 2004 being a Sunday) for the pending application.
- ☐ Other: &@

The following fees are enclosed:

- ☒ RCE fee of \$790.00 required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e).
- ☒ Extension of time fee in the amount of \$980.00

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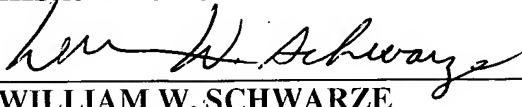
☐ Additional claim fees of &@ for excess claims submitted in the enclosed Amendment,  
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- ☒ Firm check(s) totaling \$1,770.00 is enclosed herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 210059.0410) as noted below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- ☒ Any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17.
- ☒ In the event that a Petition for Extension of Time is required, but not enclosed, please charge any extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to our Deposit Account noted above.

Respectfully submitted,

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